PRE-SOLICITATION NOTICE FOR THE RADAR MODERNIZATION PROGRAM (RMP)

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This Pre-solicitation Notice is issued solely for informational, market research, and planning purposes only. It does not constitute a Request for Proposal (RFP) or a promise to issue an RFP in the future. This Pre-solicitation Notice does not commit the Government to contract for any supply or service whatsoever. Further, the United States Air Force (USAF) is not at this time seeking proposals, and will not accept unsolicited proposals. It is the responsibility of the interested parties to monitor the Federal Business Opportunities (www.fbo.gov) site for additional information pertaining to this Pre-solicitation Notice and future program details.

1.0 Pre-solicitation Notice Objective:

The intent of this Pre-solicitation notice is to inform interested parties, including the vendor community, about the United States Air Forces (USAFs) expected release of an RFP for the RMP on or about 01 Aug 2012. Additionally, the USAF's intent is to provide interested parties with key information that will assist in planning and preparation. The USAF is currently working to finalize details relating to an Industry Day which is expected to be held on or about 22-23 Aug 2012. More details pertaining to time, location and agenda will be posted on the Federal Business Opportunities site in the weeks to follow.

2.0 Acquisition Strategy:

The USAF intends to select a single prime contractor as the sole developer/producer of an AESA fire control radar via a Government run Source Selection per FAR Part 15.

3.0 Schedule:

The intent of the below schedule is to provide industry with notional dates as they relate to the RMP. These dates are subject to change without notice and are only to be relied upon for planning purposes:

Key Activities	Estimated Dates
Draft RFP release	01 Aug2012
Industry Day	22-23 Aug 2012